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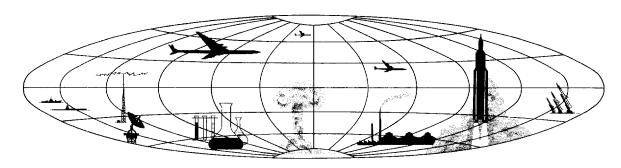
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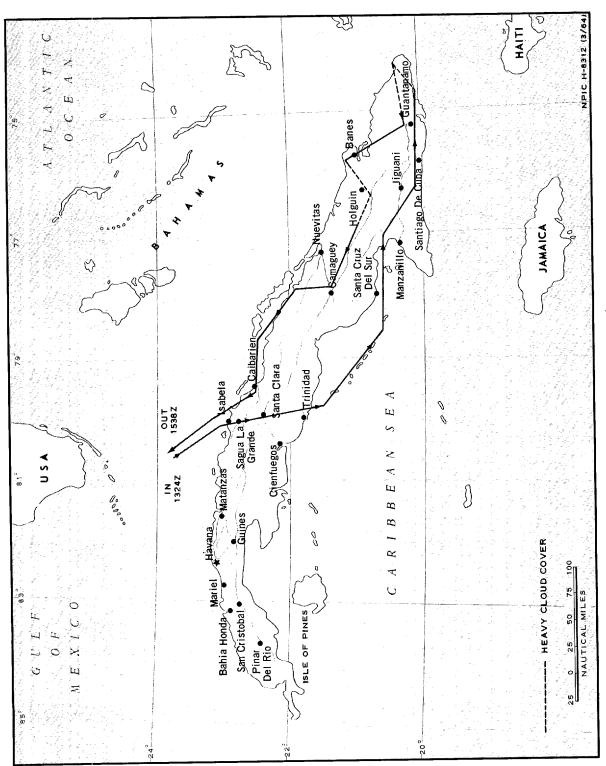
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PREFACE

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM GOLDEN TREE MISSION 3856, DATED 8 MAR 1964. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS —— C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUDS), HC (HEAVY CLOUDS), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY), PQ (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).

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MISSILES

	BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2058N 07538W	25X ²
; 2	TWO REVETTED LAUNCHERS, 5 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, APPROXIMATELY 10 OTHER VEHICLES, 2 CANVAS-COVERED PARKING AREAS AND A CANVAS-COVERED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED. CLOUD SHADOW LIMITS INTERPRETATION.	
25X1		
	SANTIAGO DE CUBA CRUISE-MISSILE STORAGE 2004N 07551W	
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. TWO CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED.	
25X1		
	CAIBARIEN SAM SITE 2228N Ø7929W	
	SIX UNREVETTED CANVAS-COVERED LAUNCHERS, 4 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS WITHOUT PRIME MOVERS (ONE CANVAS-COVERED AND 3 NEAR LAUNCHERS), ONE CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREA, ONE CANVAS-COVERED PARKING AREA, ONE CARGO TRUCK, 6 OTHER VEHICLES, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND CANVAS- OR NET-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.	
25X1		
	LOS ANGELES SAM SITE 2100N 07541W	25X ²
	SIX UNREVETTED CANVAS-COVERED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES), ONE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE ON A PROBABLE TRANSPORTER PARKED ON SERVICE ROAD, ONE CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREA, AT LEAST 8 CANVAS-COVERED TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 12 OTHER VEHICLES, 3 VAN TRAILERS, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND SHED-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.	
25X1		

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	SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE 1959N Ø755ØW	25X
, A	SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (3 WITH MISSILES), 6 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (ONE ADJACENT TO A LAUNCHER), ONE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, 5 VAN TRUCKS, 3 CARGO TRUCKS, 4 OTHER VEHICLES, 5 VAN TRAILERS, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND SHED-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.	
25X1		
	SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2003N 07553W	
25X1	NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE EXCEPT 2 MISSILES ON DOLLIES ARE NOT OBSERVED.	25X
	CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2236N Ø8ØØ5W	
25X1	NINE LARGE NON-SOVIET TENTS, ONE MEDIUM TENT, AND A CANVAS-COVERED PARKING AREA OBSERVED. FOLIAGE LIMITS INTERPRETATION.	
	MALDONADO SAM SITE 2012N 07528W	
25X1	SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS, ONE MISSILE TRANSPORTER ADJACENT TO A LAUNCHER, AND A GUIDANCE REVETMENT WITH RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.	
,	CAMAGUEY AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2122N Ø775ØW	
•	ONE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTER, 8 PROBABLE CANVAS-COVERED TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 10 VAN TRUCKS, 14 CARGO TRUCKS, 3 VAN TRAILERS, AND 5 OTHER VEHICLES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.	

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25X1		
	SANTA CLARA SAM SITE 2229N Ø8ØØØW	25X1
	SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (5 CANVAS-COVERED), 2 CANVAS COVERED HOLD AREAS, 4 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 4 PROBABL CANVAS-COVERED TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 6 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE UTILITY TRUCK, 3 OTHER VEHICLES, 3 VAN TRAILERS, AND A GUIDANCE AREA CONTAINING RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. FACILITIES INCLUDE 4 BARRACKS, 4 OTHER BUILDINGS, 7 LARGE TENTS (6 NON-SOVIET), 3 MEDIUM TENTS (2 NON-SOVIET), 2 SMALL TENTS, AND 4 CANVAS-COVERED AREAS.	E.
25X1		
	PRESTON SAM SITE 2044N 07538W	25X1
	SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS, 5 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 7 OTHER VEHICLES, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE REVETMENT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.	
25X1		
	AIR FACILITIES	
	CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD 2229N Ø7955W	
	AIRCRAFT 11 FAGOT/FRESCO, 8 HOUND, 2 HARE, AND ONE PROBABLE MORAVA L-200.	
25X1		
	CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N Ø775ØW	
	AIRCRAFT 2 LIAISON OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.	
25X1		

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	ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N: Ø755ØW	25X1
	AIRCRAFT ONE COOT, 2 C-47, ONE COLT, 2 LIAISON (ONE TWIN-ENGINE), AND ONE HOUND.	
25X1 .		
	BAYAMO AIRFIELD EAST 2022N 07637W	
	AIRCRAFT 6 COLT AND ONE LIAISON.	
25X1		
	TRINIDAD AIRFIELD 2147N Ø7959W	
	NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.	
25X1		
	CAIBARIEN AIRFIELD 223ØN Ø7928W	
	AIRCRAFT 2 HOUND AND 3 PROBABLE MORAVA L-200.	
25X1		
	NAVAL ACTIVITY/PORTS	
	BANES NAVAL BASE 2055N 07542W	
	VESSELS ONE KRONSHTADT-CLASS PC.	
25X1		
	MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W	
	VESSELS ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.	
25X1 ·		
•	SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT AND NAVAL BASE 2001N 07550W	
	MEGGELS 2 LADGE EDETCHTERS: 2 SMALL ERETCHTERS:	

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	AND ONE LARGE TANKER ENTERING PORT	
25X1		
	LA ISABELA PORT 2256N Ø8ØØØW	25X
	VESSELS 2 YP. ONE HOUND OBSERVED ON WEST SIDE OF PORT.	
25X1		
	CAIBARIEN PORT 2231N Ø7928W	
	NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.	
25X1		
	CASILDA PORT 2145N Ø7959W	
	NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.	
25X1		
	MILITARY ACTIVITY	
	GUANTANAMO AREA 2018N 07525W	
	NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.	
25X1		
	MANZANILLO MILITARY CAMP 2017N 07707W	
	NINETEEN PROBABLE TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED. SCATTERED CLOUDS AND OBLIQUITY LIMITS INTERPRETATION.	
25X1		
•	OFELIA MILITARY CAMP 2006N 07530W	

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ELEVEN TANKS/SP GUNS, 9 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 11 OTHER VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-

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	FREE AREAS.		
25X1			
•	REMEDIOS MILITARY AREA 2227N Ø7935W		25X1
•	MAIN CAMP — NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. SIX BRDM APC, 45 CARGO TRUCKS, ONE UTILITY TRUCK, 5 OTHER VEHICLES, 5 CARGO TRAILERS, 4 TRAILERS, 5 PROBABLE MOTORCYCLES, 10 FA PIECES, AND 7 PROBABLE FA PIECES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. CAMP .8 NM NW — NO VEHICLES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED.		
25X1			
	SANTA CLARA AREA MILITARY ACTIVITY 2220N 07957W		
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. SEVENTEEN TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.		
25X1			
	CAMAGUEY MILITARY CAMP 2126N Ø7753W		
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES EXCEPT A SMALL SECURED AREA WITH 6 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES IS LOCATED AT NE END OF PARKING AREA. THIRTY-SEVEN CARGO TRUCKS, 28 FA PIECES, AND 16 MORTARS OBSERVED.		
25X1			
	EL CRISTO MILITARY INSTALLATION 2008N 07547W		
•	MAIN CAMP — NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. AT LEAST 10 CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. AREA 1.6 NM NE — CLOUD-COVERED.		
25X1			
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	SANTA CLARA AREA ARTILLERY TRAINING AREA 2222N 08000W	25X1
	AREA 1: 12 CANVAS-COVERED PROBABLE BROM APC AND 7 OTHER VEHICLES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. AREA 2 NO ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS. AREA 3 NO VEHICLES OR EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.	
•	AREA 3 NO VEHICLES ON EQUIVARIANT AREA 4 17 CARGO TRUCKS. AREA 5 18 TANKS/SP GUNS AND 12 CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.	
25X1		
	SANTA ISABEL FINCA MILITARY CAMP 2005N 07528W	
	MAIN CAMP 13 CARGO TRUCKS AND 4 FA PIECES. CAMP ONE NM NORTH 9 CARGO TRUCKS AND 11 FA PIECES	
25X1		
	SANTA CLARA MILITARY CAMP CUBANACAN 2224N Ø7952W	
:	CLUB CUBANACAN APPROXIMATELY 60 VEHICLES. ESCUELA TECNOLOGICA NO ACTIVITY OBSERVED. AREA 200 YARDS NORTH IDENTIFICATION ONLY. STORAGE AREA NORTH IDENTIFICATION ONLY.	
25X1		
	PLAYA YATERITAS LANDING BEACH 1958N Ø7457W	
	NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.	
25X1		

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS OBSERVED-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 'AST COVERAGE--25X1 2244N Ø8ØØ2W SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1 2239N Ø7951W SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2 2005N 07509W LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2223N Ø7846W PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 25X1 DOS CAMINOS MILITARY TRAINING AREA 2014N 07547W 2117N 07800W CAMAGUEY MILITARY INSTALLATION 2208N 08004W BARAJAGUA STORAGE DEPOT 1957N Ø7542W SIBONEY LANDING BEACH 1957N Ø7557W MAR VERDE LANDING BEACH 2206N Ø7958W <u>MANICARAGUA STORAGE AREA</u> 25X1 THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED--2202N 08024W CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2251N Ø8ØØ5W SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE 2132N Ø7717W NUEVITAS SAM SITE 2 2027N 07531W MAYARI ARRIBA CRUISE-MISSILE ACTIVITY 2208N 08027W CIENFUEGOS NAVAL BASE 2132N Ø7715W NUEVITAS PORT 2121N Ø7751W CAMAGUEY MILITARY CAMP COUNTRY CLUB 2154N Ø8Ø15W LA JUTIA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2051N 07558W TACAJO MILITARY CAMP 25X1

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